THURSDAY, OCTOBER 8, 1772. THE

VIRGINIA GAZETTE.

Open to ALL PARTIES, but influenced by NONE.

LONDON, *July* 11.

SOME diſpatches, of a very important nature, it is ſaid, are preparing at the ſecretary's office, for the court of Copenhagen. It is ſaid they will be carried by a perſon of diſtinction, who is to demand an explicit anſwer within ten days after his arrival.

An edict was publiſhed at Genoa, a few weeks ſince, to prevent the expenſive wear of jewels, trinkets, &c. and to confine both men and women to one ſet, both at home and abroad. The penalty on the men for tranſgreſſing is, the firſt time, 40 crowns; for the ſecond 60, and for the third 100. With reſpect to the Ladies and children, for the firſt offence they are to be confined two months to their chamber, and, if found abroad within the time, to pay 40 crowns; for the ſecond offence to be confined three months, under the penalty of 60 crowns; and for the third offence four months confinement, under the penalty of 100 crowns. During the confinement of the Ladies, or children, they are not to receive viſits from any perſons except their parents, in the firſt degree; and any others attempting to viſit them are to be fined from 25 to 50 crowns, at the diſcretion of the Magiſtrates.

Extract of a letter from an officer at Madraſs.

"The ſiege laid by our troops to the capital of the Nabob of Tanjore is raiſed after a diſgraceful compromiſe. Hyder Ally is totally ruined by the Marattoes, and he has retired with a few horſe into the mountains. What will then become of us, when Hyder, who forced us into an ignominious peace, is undone by this power? The Maratto army of horſe, which has now entered the Carnatic under the ſpecious pretext of aſſiſting the injured Nabob of Tanjore, is very numerous, and ſpreads terror and devaſtation on every ſide. General Wedderburne, in order to make a diverſion, has, on the ſide of Bombay, entered the field, and waits but for orders to begin action. The forces of the Marattoes, as they are now conſtituted and diſciplined, are the moſt formidable that we ever encountered in Hindoſtan."

Private letters from Paris, brought by a Gentleman juſt arrived in England from that capital, ſay, that ſomething very extraordinary is on the carpet; that the ambaſſadors of Spain, Portugal, and Sardinia, are daily holding conferences with the Miniſtry at Verſailles, after which couriers are diſpatched to their reſpective courts. The ſame letters ſay that the Engliſh ambaſſador has a ſtrict eye upon them, but is not admitted to the conſultation.

July 13. His Majeſty has iſſued a proclamation, in Saturday's Gazette, commanding that all ſhips, &c. coming from or through the Mediterranean ſea, or from the Weſt Barbary on the Atlantic ocean, or from Archangel, Peterſburg, Narva, Riga, or from any other place in the dominions of Ruſſia, to this kingdom, or to the Iſles of Jerſey, Guernſey, Alderney, Sark, or Man, do perform their quarantine for forty days, the ſame to be computed from the day each ſhip ſhall come to anchor in the place appointed for performing ſuch quarantine.

It is reported that a certain unhappy Lady abroad has lately wrote ſome very affecting letters to a Great Perſonage, in which ſhe ſtrongly denies any criminality of conduct, and earneſtly ſupplicates leave to return to her native country.

Extract of a letter from Conſtantinople, June 8.

"A Ruſſian courier having brought the acceptance of a ſuſpenſion of arms, is gone on to Paros, to carry the Ruſſian Admiral his orders in conſequence thereof. The Porte has given him a galley for his voyage, and has had him attended by the Erogueman of the Porte, and a Turkiſh officer; ſo that now there will be nothing to fear from the Ruſſians for the veſſels loaded with corn, &c. for our port. The Miniſters of the mediating powers (Vienna and Berlin) will ſet out in eight or ten days from thence for the camp, to make a concluſion, and it is generally believed that preliminaries towards the peace are already well agreed upon between the Belligerant powers, and that the preſent ſuſpenſion of arms, limited to 100 days, will be ſucceſſively prolonged."

They adviſe from Smyrna that 18,000 recruits, which that city has furniſhed for the Grand Signior, are departed for Conſtantinople.

The meaſure ſo often propoſed for keeping a proper force in the Mediterranean is at length adopted; and ſome of the ſhips now preparing at his Majeſty's dockyards are for that purpoſe.

A young man has been preſented to the Royal academy of ſciences at Paris, who has the very extraordinary gift of hydroſcopy, or diſcovering at what depth water may be found before the earth is broken up. He has been tried in different parts of the country, where he has been an entire ſtranger, and water has always been diſcovered on the ſpot and the diſtance from the ſurface where he declared he ſaw it.

Two letters are handed about, which came by the laſt packet, and dated at Paris, from Mr. Fordyce to two of his friends in London, one of whom was totally ruined by his failure. The purport of the letter addreſſed to this Gentleman is little more than adviſing him to keep company with men of *honour and virtue*. The ſecond was likewiſe directed to a very great ſufferer by him, wherein Mr. Fordyce acquaints him, ſeemingly with unconcern, that he has broken into his laſt guinea; ſuppoſes many aſperſions and ſevere reflections are thrown on his character; notwithſtanding which, he hopes to drink many a bottle with him, and to convince all the world that he has ever acted with the ſtricteſt integrity and honour to all mankind.

Expreſſes have been ſent over to a certain bankrupt, informing him that application will be made for him to the French court, if he does not appear to his ſtatute; in conſequence of which, we hear, he intends retiring to Holland, and getting himſelf naturalized in one of the provinces.

It is reported that two northern Dukes applied lately to the governor of the bank for a loan of 100,000l. on the ſecurity of their eſtates, which they hold only as tenants for life, with power to grant annuities for two lives. Now, though it is well known that an annuity for two lives, in any regiſtered country, is worth from 16 to 18 years purchaſe, yet theſe noble Perſonages offered to grant them at the low rate of *eight* years purchaſe only, provided they could have a clauſe of redemption in the reſpective annuity deeds. Tempting as this offer was, the governor rejected it, and politely told the Dukes that, as he was a truſtee for the public, he could neither take more than five *per cent.* for any loan, nor was the ſecurity now offered by them ſuch as would juſtify him to lend ſo large a ſum of the *public money*, their Graces being only tenants for life.

The above Noblemen were, it is ſaid, introduced to Mr. Payne by General Scott. After Mr. Payne had refuſed the money to the noble Dukes, he turned about to the General, and ſaid, "General, you have *ſixty thouſand pounds ſterling in the bank*, the direction will immediately advance YOU one hundred thouſand upon that ſecurity; and *you*, if you pleaſe, may, by this means, accommodate the two noble Dukes with the ſum they require." The General coldly replied, that he came to *borrow* money for his two noble friends, not to *lend* it to them.

The bank of England, it is ſaid, lent, on Thurſday laſt, to a celebrated bank, 150,000l. By this ſeaſonable relief that bank will not only recover its credit, but many other houſes in town, who were obliged to ſtop for ſome time, will be reſtored to their former ſituation. The bank of England had this loan two days under conſideration.

Thurſday a bill diſcounted at the bank was offered for payment at Meſſ. Wakefields, Pratt, and Myers, merchants in Ladlane, which proves to be forged. A perſon in the neighbourhood of Lothbury is ſuſpected of this offence, who has abſconded, but diligent ſearch is making after him by Sir John Fielding's people The bill forged is for 500l.

Notwithſtanding the frequent deplorable inſtances of ſuicide in this iſland, it appears that the crime is very predominant among our lively neighbours the French, who have often aſſerted it was almoſt peculiar to the Engliſh, as from authentic liſts, juſt publiſhed at Paris, we find that no fewer than one hundred and eight perſons put an end to their own lives in that metropolis laſt year, and in the year 1769 the number of ſelf murders there amounted to one hundred and forty ſeven!

So critical are the affairs of the Miniſtry that they are doing and undoing almoſt every hour. An expreſs was a few days ago ſent for a noble Lord to town, and about ſix hours after was countermanded. What can theſe things portend? The downfal of the Miniſtry, or new chains forging for the people? The latter pray that the makers may be the wearers.

A correſpondent, on reading in our paper that the great defaulter had not yet made out his accounts, ſays, that the public may ſuſpend their expectations, for his accounts will not be made out till after his death, when all the ſecrets will be revealed in his will.

Lord —— has certainly only been a cat's paw, and not the defaulter of unaccounted millions, as is imagined. He will undoubtedly never unboſom this affair, to the prejudice of thoſe who have moſt reaſon to be afraid, having pledged his life for their ſecurity; but when that life is at end, then tremble defaulters!

Two great Perſonages have actually the preſent extravagance of dreſs, in both ſexes, under conſideration to reform them, if ſetting the example themſelves, and enjoining all their dependents to imitate them, would do it. Indeed the many ill conſequences that the modern mode of dreſs has been the ſource of, has long called for a reformation.

If a native either of England, Ireland or Scotland, commits any miſdemeanor in Spain, ſo as to be liable to puniſhment, enquiry is always made, by the proper officers, whether he is a mechanic, and ingenious in his profeſſion. If he is, he is immediately ſet at liberty, on condition of his agreeing to go and exerciſe his art in ſuch place and manner as is thought proper by the emiſſaries of government employed for that purpoſe. This is proof enough how willing they are to give encouragement to our artificers; though our government, by their indifferent behaviour, ſeem to think them of no more importance to the kingdom than ſo many jackaſſes.

An accommodation is almoſt compleated between Alderman Wilkes and his Lady, through the pious interpoſition of his amiable daughter; a circumſtance, which, when finiſhed, will elevate him above the feeble attempts of the miniſterial malignants, as he then will be maſter of an immenſe fortune.

It is ſaid that Mr. ſheriff Wilkes ſtands a very fair chance of being Lord Mayor for the year enſuing, partly owing, as it is ſaid, to the other candidate's having obliged the majority of the Court of Aldermen, and partly as it is inſiſted from the preſumed aſſiſtance he will receive from the Miniſtry, who are of opinion, when once his ambition is accompliſhed, they ſhall have nothing to fear from ſo formidable and inſidious an adverſary.

It is likewiſe certain, that Mr. Wilkes's aſſiduity as a Magiſtrate, together with the univerſal odium of his enemies, has very conſiderably contributed to the probability of ſuch an event.

July 14. Mr. Alderman Oliver and Watkin Lewes, Eſquire, have written letters to the ſheriffs Wilkes and Bull, thanking them, in the moſt genteel terms, for their exact propriety of conduct during the poll for the ſhrievalty, and confeſſing that, in diſcharging the duties of their office, they kept entirely clear of party attachment, and acted with that conſiſtent impartiality which ever diſtinguiſhes men of liberal principles.

The diſputes ſome time ſubſiſting between the Earl of Hillſborough and the Miniſtry, relative to ſome grants of land intended for a ſettlement in North America, are compromiſed to the ſatisfaction of both parties.

Upwards of 270 priſoners and fugitives for debt will be carried this day to Guilford ſeſſion from the King's Bench, and other priſons in Surry, in order to take the benefit of the late act of Parliament for the relief of inſolvent debtors.

On the 17th ult. died at Invertrommie in Badenoch, in Scotland, Alexander Gordon, aged 108. He was never troubled with ſickneſs or indiſpoſition till within a fortnight of his death.

July 16. A correſpondent obſerves, that the method in which we treat the Iriſh is ſo extremely impolitic and barefacedly oppreſſive, that we ought not to be ſurprized, if they were driven by deſperation and revenge, to act in a manner diametrically oppoſite to the intereſts of Great Britain. We ſeize their revenues with a mercileſs hand, and convert them to the uſes of bribery and proſtitution; we tax their labour and induſtry to provide for a ſet of the moſt worthleſs wretches in the creation. The complexion of the penſioners upon the Iriſh eſtabliſhment is ſuch as plainly to ſhew we muſt ranſack the ſtews, before we could find ſuch a deſpicable group; and as to their places of profit, civil, military, and eccleſiaſtic, they are moſt of them filled with creatures belonging to the different Lord Lieutenants, inſomuch that, though the Iriſh Houſe of Commons have petitioned, they have never yet been able to obtain even a decent proviſion for their own Chaplain, who is, unfortunately for him, a native of that kingdom.

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It is ſaid that the marriage of Prince Frederick of Denmark with the Princeſs Royal of Sweden is concluded upon, but that the time for conſummating the ſame, depends on the pleaſure of the King of Pruſſia.

Extract of a letter from Rome, *June* 28.

"Some time ſince mention was made of a vulnerary water, the ſecret for making which was known only by a criminal who had been condemned to die, but obtained his pardon on condition of his communicating the ſecret to his Holineſs. His Holineſs has granted an excluſive privilege to the author for making and vending it in the eccleſiaſtical ſtate, by an edict dated the 26th ult. ſtrictly forbiding any one to imitate it. This water has been examined by the moſt ſkilful phyſicians and ſurgeons, who have made a number of trials of its effects, the reſult of which is, that they have declared it to be moſt efficacious in ſtopping hæmorrhages of all kinds, as well thoſe of the arteries as from common wounds. It has been tried on ſeveral perſons with the greateſt ſucceſs, and experiments have been made on ſeveral animals purpoſely further to experience its effects: The main artery of a lamb, and the crural artery of a dog being cut, and the wounds having ſome of this water applied to them, they were healed in forty eight hours. This diſcovery, ſo valuable for humanity, will not die with its author, as his Holineſs is poſſeſſed of the receipt for making it, and we are told he has preſented a copy of it to the Emperor of Germany.

Extract of a letter from Edinburgh, July 9.

"I never remember ſuch a ſeaſon as we have at preſent; the fields look moſt beautiful, a great appearance of a fine crop of all ſorts of grain, a fine hay ſeaſon, and a prodigious crop, a vaſt appearance of fruit; ſtrawberries, the beſt I ever ſaw, at two pence and three pence the quart. If our money be ſcarce we ſhall have plenty in the country for men and beaſt."

There are now living at Ledbury, in Herefordſhire, one Thomas Price, and his wife, whoſe ages together make 213 years; the man being 109, and the woman 104.

Yeſterday ſe'nnight died at Clackmannan caſtle, in Scotland, Harry Bruce, of Clackmannan, Eſquire, aged 72; deſcended of John de Bruce, third ſon of Robert Lord Annandale, who was competitor for the Crown of Scotland with John Baliol. He was heir of Sir Robert Bruce, of Clackmannan, who, in 1359, obtained a charter of the caſtle and lands of Clackmannan from King David Bruce, in which he was ſtiled the King's beloved and faithful couſin. By his leaving no iſſue, the ancient family of Bruce, of Clackmannan, becomes extinct.

A French Gentleman, who arrived in England ſome weeks ago, and lodged all his money in the hands of Mr. Fordyce, had the good fortune to ſave it by a very droll and lucky accident. While he was ſtanding one day in a fruit ſhop, near 'Change, a Gentleman entered, and ordered a deſert of fruit of various kinds, to the amount of five or ſix pounds, for his dinner. The Pariſian, at his departure, enquired what great Duke, or Lord, or Secretary of State, that was, who had been ſo profuſe in the ſimple article of fruit: He was anſwered that it was Mr. Fordyce, the banker. "*Oh ho! you ſay dat?* (returned the aſtoniſhed foreigner) *begar den me go dis minute, and take all my money from him, or he will eat it all up.*" He drew out his money immediately, and Mr. Fordyce ſtopped payment two days after.

Sunday the wife of an eminent tradeſman in the city ſet off for France with an officer on half pay. She has taken with her 4000l. in notes and caſh.

July 17. The Lords of the Treaſury are, we hear, determined in future that every banker who keeps caſh on account of the Crown ſhall give a large ſecurity; as the late loſs by Mr. Fordyce ſhews that houſes, the moſt ſeemingly ſolvent, may totter on the verge of deſtruction.

Some letters from the Hague mention that the city of Dantzick has choſen the King of Pruſſia for its patron and protector; in conſequence of which, the citizens have refuſed to pay the capitation tax to the King of Poland as before.

A correſpondent informs us that there are upwards of ſeventeen thouſand pounds depending on the match between Mr. Pigot's Lycurgus, and Mr. Charles Fox's Pantaloon.

We have the pleaſure of hearing that there is an intention of ſuppreſſing all the Royal plates given for the encouragement of running horſes, as this particular breed of animals is not only utterly without uſe, but often the ſource of deſtruction to many of our firſt families.

Wedneſday came on to be tried, in the court of Common Pleas, at Weſtminſter, before Lord Chief Juſtice De Grey, and a ſpecial jury, a remarkable cauſe, wherein Doctor Boſanberg, an eminent High German doctor, oculiſt, cupper, and ſurgeon, was plaintiff, and the executor of —— Briggs, Eſquire, late of Kenſington Gore, in Middleſex, was defendant. It appeared in the courſe of the trial that the plaintiff was an intimate acquaintance of the deceaſed, and therefore to be conſidered as a *friend*. The doctor, however, delivered a bill after his death, amounting to about [illegible] the laſt item of which was, for [illegible] attendance on the deceaſed, at two pounds two ſhillings per week. The executor, on the other hand, thought not [illegible] the defendant [illegible] a week of ſervice, and [illegible] particular [illegible] paying away [illegible] money; whereupon [illegible] found for the plaintiff [illegible] and coſts of ſuit.

August 10. [illegible] will or will not enter, as many [illegible] to ſolve part in the adminiſtration [illegible], is ſomewhat doubtful; but many affirm it is certain that his Lordſhip has recently taken ſeveral ſteps, and been engaged in divers interviews, which can be no otherwiſe interpreted than agreeably to the wiſhes of the public.

It is very remarkable that the three courts of France, Spain, and England, ſhould, inſtead of following the example of their anceſtors, politely debate their political points. For example: France claims the Spice Iſlands, but waits till his Catholic brother's fleet be ready to embark on the ſame enterprize; and Spain, with infinite kindneſs, attends the motions of Great Britain, and Great Britain of Spain, that no cauſe for umbrage may ariſe to either party.

The Spice Iſlands are now the grand objects, it is imagined, of miniſterial conſideration; but as they are beheld with wiſhful eyes by ſo many other powers, query whether we muſt not pay a price for them beyond their value, if fortune were even at laſt to declare in our favour?

The celebrated Doctor Fordyce, whoſe piety and abilities are ſo well known, and ſo generally reſpected, has, we hear, ſince the failure of his brother, directed his ſermons chiefly againſt the luxury of the times, and dwelt upon frugality and juſtice, as the grand ſources of private happineſs, and public proſperity.

Lord Hilſborough, finding it his Majeſty's pleaſure to proceed in the grant of lands on the Ohio, contrary to the opinion of the Board of Trade, begs leave to retire, and he is ſucceeded by the Earl of Dartmouth.

Extract of a letter from Pera, *near* Conſtantinople, June 17.

"Seid Ala Aga, an officer (a Black) who laſt year defended a redoubt, with 800 men, bravely againſt the Ruſſians, but was at laſt made priſoner, is arrived here. Count Romanzow made a preſent of him to his Pruſſian Majeſty, who gave him ſeveral ſuits of cloths, and a fine ſabre, with liberty to return to Conſtantinople, and all his charges paid him. He related the generoſity of the King of Pruſſia to the Grand Signior, who immediately ordered two ſlaves to be delivered to the Pruſſian ſecretary, who had been officers, and were taken at the battle of Maxen."

It is aſſerted that a certain great and amiable Lady has appropriated no leſs a ſum than 4000l. for the relief of poor families, within theſe two years.

We are informed that Meſſ. Glyn and Halifax have paid all bills that have been preſented to them, and are ready to pay all demands, with intereſt, as they ſhall be tendered.

Letters from Vienna ſay that a young girl there, a native of Bavaria, has the ſame gift as young Parangue, the Hydroſcope of the ſouth of France. Several atteſtations have been made of her ſurprizing diſcoveries of water, which ſhe has declared ſhe could perceive under ground.

Letters by the Indiamen lately arrived ſay that the Marattoes, to the number of 20,000, have entered the Carnatic, and have actually committed great depredations in the territories of Madras. The ſame letters add, that Schah Allum, whom theſe people had placed on the Mogul's Throne, was then at Dehli.

Extract of a letter from Compeigne, July 25.

"The Sieur de Kerguelen, Lieutenant in the navy, who was ſent out to make diſcoveries of the Terra Auſtralis, is lately returned, and the following particulars of the ſucceſs of his voyage are publiſhed here: After three weeks navigation from the iſland of Bourbon, the Sieur de Kerguelen diſcovered, in 47 degrees of ſouth latitude, weſtward of that iſland, an unknown country, which he has named South France. He coaſted along an extent of fifty leagues, and, according to the report of ſome of his people, whom he ſent on ſhore, the country is very fine, and appears to be extremely fruitful. It is peopled by a vaſt number of inhabitants, of a blackiſh complexion; there are foreſts, and meadows covered with numberleſs herds of cattle."

On Thurſday night a man intoxicated with liquor was ſo elated with the performance of Columbine, at Sadler's Wells, that he, after expreſſing the greateſt admiration in the moſt vociferous terms, jumped from the top of the balcony to the ſtage, where he broke his arm, and terribly bruiſed one of the muſicians, on whom he fell; he was immediately taken care of by Mr. King's people, and carried to a neighbouring ſurgeon's.

Thurſday a woman at Greenwich was taken into cuſtody, on a violent ſuſpicion of ſtarving her nurſe child to death. The infant (being only two years and a half old) had gnawed part of the fleſh from off its fingers.

Two regiments of Highlanders are ſhortly to be raiſed in Scotland, intended for garriſon duty in North America.

Orders are ſent to Ireland for a ſtop to be put to the exportation of ſalt proviſions to the Spaniſh Iſlands in the Weſt Indies.

Monday laſt arrived at Spithead his Majeſty's bark Endeavour, Lieutenant James Gordon, commander, from the Falkland Iſlands. She left England December 5, 1771. Thus ſhe was not quite eight months going and coming, which is the quickeſt paſſage ever known.

Thurſday afternoon a famous boxing match was fought, in the preſence of many thouſand ſpectators, in the valley between the city and Goſwell ſtreet roads, near Iſlington, between the noted bruiſers Sam. Stevens the ſhoemaker, and Ben. Hamilton the tripeman, for a conſiderable ſum of money. Bets running high among the knowing ones, their arts were never more conſpicuous, which occaſioned the poor fellows to fight four ſevere battles; towards the end of each, one ſide or other cried *a foul blow*, and then the intereſted mob broke in and wrangled for an hour between each battle, neither ſide allowing the money loſt. Stevens, however, was declared conqueror at laſt, by the aforeſaid manœuvre. A fifth battle is expected.

WILLIAMSBURG, *October* 8.

The Fanny, Capt. James Barron, the Innermay, Capt. Laughton, from London, and the Katie, Capt. Clark, from Glaſgow, are arrived in James river.

WILLIAM and MARY COLLEGE, *October* 1, 1772.

BY direction of the Preſident and Maſters, I am to give notice to the ſeveral ſurveyors, who have executed bonds for the proportion of their fees due to the college in tobacco, to be diſcharged at any particular rate, that they are required to give new bonds for one ſixth part of whatever they receive for ſurveying, before the 15th of next month, or they will be ſuperſeded. I am alſo directed to inform thoſe ſurveyors who doubted their right to a proportion of the fees for private ſurveys, that the ſociety have had the advice of counſel, who are of opinion they are well entitled thereto, and that the queſtion was ſo determined by the General Court in *April* laſt.

ROBERT MILLER, BURSAR.

NORFOLK, *October* 4, 1772.

On Monday *the 12th of this inſtant* (October) *will be* SOLD, *at public vendue, for ready money, for the benefit of the owners, or underwriters,*

THE HULL and MATERIALS of the ſnow NANCY, as ſhe lately returned to this place in diſtreſs, on her paſſage to *Liverpool*; together with her cargo, conſiſting of

480 BARRELS of TAR,
120 BARRELS of TURPENTINE,
10,000 PIPE and BARREL STAVES.

In LOTS agreeable to the purchaſers.

GEORGE KELLY, V. M.

NORFOLK, *September* 29, 1772.

WHEREAS the creditors of Mr. *John Atkinſon* expect to receive a dividend at the approaching General Court, and as many bonds which I have taken, payable to Meſſ. *Eilbeck* and *Lawrence*, truſtees for the ſaid creditors, will be due the 25th of *October* next, I hereby give notice that I propoſe to attend at Mr. *Atkinſon*'s ſtore, in *Suſſex* county, on *Monday* and *Tueſday*, the 2d and 3d of *November* next, when I hope all perſons concerned will be prepared to diſcharge, as well the open accounts as bond debts, theſe affairs being ſo circumſtanced that no longer indulgence can or will be given.

BENJAMIN CROOKER.

At ſame time and place will be SOLD, eight or ten valuable country born SLAVES; amongſt whom are ſome good HOUSE SERVANTS, for ready money, or ſhort credit, as may be agreed on at the ſale.

To be SOLD, *at public vendue, on* Saturday *the 17th of* October, *purſuant to a decree of the Huſtings court of* Norfolk *borough*,

A NEW erected two ſtory BRICK HOUSE ſituate on the main ſtreet in ſaid borough, with part of a lot of land adjoining the ſame. Alſo an unimproved water lot adjoining the water lot of *Cornelius Calvert*, Eſquire, the whole appertaining to the eſtate of *Henry Rothery*, deceaſed, and ſubject to his widow's dower. The ſale will be on the premiſes at twelve o'clock on the day aforeſaid, and a credit of three months allowed the purchaſers, on giving bond, with approved ſecurity, to the creditors of the ſaid *Henry Rothery*.

JOHN GREENWOOD, Commiſſioner.

COMMITTED to the gaol of *Hanover* county, the 22d of *Auguſt* laſt, a Negro man who ſays his name is GEORGE, but cannot, or will not, tell his maſter's name, is about 5 feet 7 inches high, and ſeems to be about 35 years old; had on, when committed, a *Virginia* cloth jacket, crocus trowſers, and oznabrig ſhirt. The owner is deſired to apply for him, and pay charges.

PAUL THILMAN, Gaoler.

FERRY POINT, *Norfolk* county, *Sept.* 30, 1772.

WHEREAS ſundry ill diſpoſed perſons frequently pull down my fences, and let horſes, cattle, and hogs, into my corn fields and paſture, I hereby forewarn all perſons from going through my paſture or corn fields, or turning their horſes, cattle, or hogs, upon my land, as I am determined to proſecute every perſon who ſhall preſume to take thoſe liberties with my property. HENRY HERBERT.

JOSEPH NORTHUP,
SILKDYER AND SCOWERER,
IN CHURCH STREET, NORFOLK,

BEGS leave to acquaint the public that he has ſet up the buſineſs of colouring and ſcowering SILKS, CLOTHS, FUSTIANS, *VIRGINIA* CLOTH, and other ſtuffs, and has got both hot and cold preſſes for dreſſing them equal to any done at home; likewiſe clear ſtarches white ſilk, and ſilk ſtockings, and takes ſpots out of all kinds of womens wear, at the moſt reaſonable rates, and with the greateſt care and expedition.

TOBACCO remaining in BOLLINGBROOK WAREHOUSE, inſpected in the year 1769.

No.	Tare	No.	
2728	101	1114	*Thomas Pollitt.*
1894	106	1156	*Robert Weſtmoreland.*
1051	128	807	*James Bradby.*
1380	124	1015	*John Barns.*
652	155	1191	*Young M^c Lamore.*
2493	108	1127	*John Kelly.*
2523	137	1027	*James Bradley.*
1344	125	1162	*Robert Cuningham.*

GOODWYN and GOODWYN.

COMMITTED to the gaol of *Weſtmoreland* county, on ſuſpicion of being a runaway, a Negro man ſlave who calls himſelf WILL, but cannot, or will not, tell his maſter's name, is a well ſet fellow, about 5 feet 10 inches high, of a yelloviſh complexion, the fore part of his hair, or wool, grey, is an *African*, and marked in the manner of his country, with dots under both eyes, and on the right ſide of his neck with ſomething reſembling a ladder, the fourth finger of his left hand is bent, and ſeems to have been broken; has on a country cotton ſhirt, and oznabrig trowſers. There is ſome reaſon to ſuſpect that he belongs to Dr. *William Savage*, of *Prince William*. The owner is deſired to pay charges, and take him away.

RICHARD BARNETT, Gaoler.

COMMITTED to the gaol of *Weſtmoreland* county, on ſuſpicion of being a runaway, a white man who calls himſelf WILLIAM WATSON, about 5 feet 6 or 7 inches high, has ſhort dark brown hair, and ſandy beard, a little pitted with the ſmallpox, appears, from his dialect, to be a *Yorkſhireman*, is a pert impudent fellow, very talkative, and ſays he lived with Mr. *John Gunyon*, in *Dumfries*, but ſeems very nearly to anſwer the deſcription given of *John Booker*, advertiſed by Mr. *James Duncanſon*, of *Frederickſburg*; had on a brown linen ſhirt, and trowſers of the ſame, and appears to be about 30 or 35 years of age. The owner is deſired to pay charges, and take him away.

RICHARD BARNETT, Gaoler.

COMMITTED to the priſon of *Suſſex* county, the 19th of *September*, a Negro man named JACK, about 5 feet 6 inches high, a ſtout well made fellow, and ſays he belongs to Mr *John Chiſtum*, of *Mecklenburg* county; has on an old crocus ſhirt and trowſers. The owner is deſired to apply for him, and pay charges. NATHANIEL WYCHE, Gaoler.

TAKEN up, on *Rock Iſland* creek, *Buckingham* county, a bright bay mare, branded on the near ſhoulder D, and on the near buttock C, has a bald face, her hind feet white, is about four feet four or five inches high, and eleven or twelve years old. Appraiſed to 5l. WILLIAM K. WEAKLAND.

TAKEN up, in *Glouceſter* county, a ſmall black mare about 13 hands high, but no brand perceivable. Poſted, and appraiſed to 3l.

JOHN IVISON.

IN obedience to a decree of the General Court, bearing date the 26th of *October*, 1771, will be SOLD, by the truſtees of Mr. *William Bradley*, at public vendue, in *Norfolk*, the 15th inſtant (*October*) being court day, the following LAND, *viz.* Six lots lying in the borough, four of which have fronts on two ſtreets, and another on three ſtreets; a tract of three hundred acres in the pariſh of *St. Bride's*, and county of *Norfolk*, with a dwellinghouſe, kitchen, quarter, barn, ſtable, dairy, and other outhouſes thereon; another tract of one hundred and fifty acres at the foot of the north weſt river bridge, in the ſaid pariſh and county, with a dwellinghouſe, ſtorehouſe, dairy, *&c.* thereon; alſo a lot of land at the foot of the *Great Bridge*, fronting the tobacco houſe, with a dwellinghouſe, kitchen, quarter, ſtable, chairhouſe, and warehouſes thereon, in ſaid pariſh and county. Credit will be given till the 25th of *April* next, the purchaſers giving bond, with approved ſecurity, to JOHN PRENTIS, and company.

TAKEN up in *Cumberland* a ſutty black mare, about 4 feet 6 inches high, paces tolerably well, and neither docked nor branded. Poſted, and appraiſed to 8l. JOHN BURTON.

JAMES CRAIG,
AT THE GOLDEN BALL,
WILLIAMSBURG,

BEGS leave to inform the public that he has juſt got an eminent HAND from *Great Britain*, who ſerved a regular apprenticeſhip to the WATCH and CLOCK MAKING BUSINESS, which he intends carrying on in all its branches. The jewellery, gold, and ſilver work, will be carried on in the uſual manner. He can aſſure the public that the young man underſtands his buſineſs, as he has had ſufficient proof of his workmanſhip, and that, with reaſonable charges, as well as the good ſituation of his ſhop, he hopes will be ſome inducement for the public to favour him with their commands, which ſhall ever be his ſtudy to execute with the greateſt care.

N. B. REPEATING, HORIZONTAL, and STOP WATCHES, made and repaired in the beſt manner.

To be SOLD, *purſuant to the laſt will and teſtament of Mr.* William Brooke, *deceaſed*,

EIGHT hundred and forty ACRES of LAND, ſituate in the county of *Orange*, about 60 miles from *Frederickſburg*, is well watered and wooded, the ſoil good for corn, wheat, tobacco, hemp, and flax, affords as good a range for ſtocks of all kinds as any land in that county, and may be had at the low price of one hundred and ſixty pounds ready money, or one hundred and ſixty eight pounds on twelve months credit, by bond, with approved ſecurity. Any perſon inclinable to purchaſe may be ſhewn the land by applying to Major *Zachariah Burnley*, who lives in the neighbourhood thereof, and who will contract for JOHN ROWZEE, ROBERT BROOKE, } Executors.

TO be LET for a life, or term of years, as may be agreed on, or the intereſt of my leaſe to be ſold of Mrs. *Elizabeth Holt's* dower land in *Hog Iſland*. The land is extremely good, and in good order, drained, ditched, and ſo well fenced that it will not require a rail for ſeven years to come. I have this, and the two laſt years, laid upwards of 4000 cart loads of dung on it. There is a brick dwellinghouſe, good ſtables, and a plentiful kitchen garden thereon, and a profitable ferry, abounding with great plenty of fiſh. I can aſſure any perſon that I know of no place ſo advantageous as this, lies within ſeven miles of *Williamſburg*, and the Gentlemen merchants, and others, who go to that city, by way of ſaid iſland, leave their horſes there until their return from court; ſo that the ſtable only brings in, in public times, from three to five pounds *per* day, and upwards. Propoſals, in writing, will be received by

H. U. ST. GEORGE.

N. B. Any perſon inclinable to rent, or purchaſe, is requeſted to view the premiſes, that they may better judge of its value. Some people have made propoſals that never ſaw the place. The land may be entered upon the 1ſt day of *January* next.

To be RENTED, *for a term not exceeding thirteen years*,

A TRACT of LAND containing about two thouſand acres, in the county of *Berkeley*, on the drains of *Opekan*, the ſoil is thought to be inferior to no high land in the country, is in a very good neighbourhood, only a few miles from Mr. *Jacob Hite's* and Mr. *Rutherford's* mills, has as fine a range for ſtock as is in thoſe parts (which are remarkable in that particular) and a quarter upon it with about 80 or 100 acres of cleared land in order for cropping. I propoſe to rent the whole together, and will give leave of ſub-tenants, under a reſervation, of *no more than two thirds of the land being cut down during the term.* I will alſo hire ten valuable SLAVES with the land, and will lend the ſtock, to be returned, in quantity and quality, at the expiration of the leaſe. For terms apply to the ſubſcriber, living near *Dumfries*, in *Prince William* county.

THOMAS BLACKBURN.

LANDED at the ſubſcriber's ſtore in *Cumberland* town, from on board the *Betſey*, *Crowell Hatch*, maſter, in *September*, 1770, a CASE marked IH (incloſed with a diamond) No. 1, GLASS. The owner may have it on paying charges.

JAMES UNDERWOOD.

MESSIEURS *Robert* and *Robert Bogle* and *Scott*, of *London*, merchants and partners, on the 29th of *June* laſt executed a deed of aſſignment of all the ſaid company's debts and effects in *Virginia* to *Edward Payne*, Eſquire, governor of the bank of *England*, and *Rene Payne*, of *London*, merchant, in truſt, that an equitable diviſion may be made of the ſaid debts and effects amongſt all the creditors of the ſaid company. And on the ſame day the ſaid *Edward Payne*, and *Rene Payne*, and the ſaid company, executed a power of attorney to the ſubſcribers, empowering us jointly and ſeverally to receive and tranſmit the ſaid debts and effects: Notice is therefore given to the ſeveral debtors to the ſaid company, that attendance will be given by the ſubſcribers, or one of them, at *Williamſburg*, from the 20th of *October* to the end of the General Court. No indulgence can be given after. JOHN TAYLOE,
ARCHIBALD RITCHIE.

N. B. The aſſignment and power of attorney are recorded in *Richmond* county, for the ſatisfaction of thoſe concerned.

FALLS *of* POTOWMACK, *Sept.* 16, 1772.

I THE ſubſcriber am the manufacturer of SNUFF and TOBACCO, who formerly reſided at *Bladenſburg*, in *Maryland*, and at this time have a quantity of very good old ſnuff by me, grown better by age, which I would willingly diſpoſe of by wholeſale on very reaſonable terms; that is, in ſuch a manner as to allow the purchaſer a very good profit in retailing it. Thoſe who incline to become cuſtomers to me may be furniſhed with any quantity on notice given, and it ſhall either be packed in *Weſton's* or *Kippen's* bottles, or in country made pots, agreeable to orders. From my own obſervation, patriotiſm in *Virginia* and *Maryland* is not ſo dormant but it may be awakened by a proper application to a perſon's real intereſt; and I am convinced that many Gentlemen, through choice, and taſte likewiſe, would prefer mine to foreign ſnuff, provided they could be furniſhed with it in their own neighbourhood; which induces me to think that the Gentlemen merchants can have no objections to procure it for them, when I can aſſure them that cuſtomary commiſſions will be allowed them, or that they will have a ſufficient profit in retailing it. However, ſuch Gentlemen as would take one dozen bottles, or more, at a time, and lodge payment for the ſame with ſome merchant convenient to them, ſhall have it at my wholeſale prices; and I will engage to deliver the ſame to their orders at general landing places, on both ſides of the rivers *Potowmack* and *Rappahannock*, and at *Norfolk* for Gentlemen on *York* and *James* rivers, they paying package and freight, the charge whereof will be very ſmall, and ſhall not forget to recommend it to the care of their merchant. The prices will be as follow: For one dozen, or more, of ſnuff, commonly called plain *Scotch*, in *Kippen's* bottles, three dollars *per* dozen; in *Weſton's* bottles five dollars *per* dozen; and in proportion for pots. Thoſe who chuſe it, may have the ſnuff packed in bulk, either in large pots of twelve to twenty pounds each, or in tight caſks from thirty or forty pounds each, to four or five hundred pounds, at two ſhillings and eight pence, *Maryland* currency, *per* pound, payable in dollars, at ſeven ſhillings and ſix pence each, excluſive of the charge for pot or caſk. I likewiſe make round high toaſt at two ſhillings and ſix pence, rappee at four ſhillings, and *Spaniſh* ſnuff at five ſhillings, *Virginia* currency, *per* pound, when ſix pounds, or more, are taken at a time. The two latter kinds, either plain or ſcented, at choice of the purchaſer. I would gladly enforce an encouragement of my manufacture by a reiteration of my good opinion of the taſte of the Gentlemen and Ladies of *Virginia* and *Maryland*, as well as of the readineſs and willingneſs of the merchants to oblige them, by taking quantities of me for the purpoſe of retailing; and would recommend it to Gentlemen at a diſtance to give their orders to their merchant, who will forward them to me; all which orders ſhall be ſtrictly and punctually complied with, both as to the kinds of ſnuff they may direct, and in every other reſpect. Thoſe Gentlemen merchants who may receive ſnuff from me, to be diſtributed by them to Gentlemen in their neighbourhood, ſhall be entitled to 10 *per cent.* for their trouble; and I only requeſt from them a remittance of the balance, after deducting their commiſſions. A collection of all orders that may be offered them is therefore deſired, and their forwarding them to me immediately by poſt, or otherwiſe, will be acknowledged a particular favour. I would likewiſe furniſh cut tobacco of two ſorts, *viz.* ſhag and ſaffron; the firſt for chew, the latter for the pipe; provided orders of conſequence enough to induce me to manufacture it are timely received. The price of each will be nine pence, *Virginia* currency, *per* pound, by the dozen, and in ſmaller quantities at ten pence *per* pound. I have now only to obſerve that thoſe Ladies and Gentlemen who are not already acquainted with the quality of my ſnuff and tobacco (which I affirm to be good) may receive information from many Gentlemen concerning it, in moſt parts of *Virginia* and *Maryland*, who have heretofore had trial of both; and I wiſh for no other recommendation. I humbly conceive that the intereſt of the public is concerned in the encouragement of country manufactures, and I ſhall, in future, if properly ſupported by it, in this very uſeful branch of its commerce, gratefully acknowledge the favours that may be conferred on the public's very humble ſervant,

RICHARD THOMPSON.

N. B. I ſhould be glad to have a perſonal conference with thoſe merchants, and others, who may incline to favour my plan; and for that purpoſe I intend (God willing) to be at *Spotſylvania* and *Prince William* courts in *October* next, and at *Charles*, *Prince George*, and *Frederick* counties, in *Maryland*, at their next *November* court.

KING WILLIAM, *September* 17, 1772.

WHEREAS I purchaſed a tract of LAND of Mr. *William Hickman*, ſon of *Thomas Hickman*, for which he has my bond for ninety one pounds two ſhillings and three pence; ſince which Mr. *William Buckner*, of *Orange* county, has got a decree of *King & Queen* court to have the land ſold to ſatisfy a debt due to the ſaid *Buckner*: I hereby forewarn any perſon from taking an aſſignment of the ſaid bond, as I will not pay it till the ſaid *Hickman* makes me a good right to the land. LISTON TEMPLE.

General Post Office, New York, Nov. 1, 1771.

NOTICE is hereby given, that on account of the new regulation of the poſt from *Canada*, which is to arrive every *Tueſday* morning at this office, and the weekly poſt from the eaſtward and ſouthward arriving every *Wedneſday*, the mail going from hence by the packets will, for the future, be cloſed at twelve o'clock at night, on the firſt *Wedneſday* in every month (being the ſame time it cloſes at the General Poſt Office in *London* for *America*) and a packet diſpatched therewith, the next day, for *Falmouth*.

By command of the Deputy Poſtmaſter General.

ALEXANDER COLDEN, Secretary.

To be SOLD *at* WARWICK, *on* Thurſday *the 22d of* October,

THE eſtate of the deceaſed *Daniel Macpherſon*, conſiſting of HOUSHOLD FURNITURE, a Negro FELLOW, WENCH, and CHILDREN, a well built SCHOONER, burthen from 2500 to 3000 buſhels, with all her appurtenances, one year old, and in very good repair, well calculated for the river or *Weſt India* trade; alſo one half of a thirty five hogſhead FLAT. Thoſe that have demands againſt the eſtate are deſired to make them known by that day, and thoſe indebted to make payment to us the adminiſtrators.

JAMES FAIRLIE,
SIMON FRASER.

T E SOLD,

EIGHT . county river, on b hundred ac on the north h. acres on the foot in the town of *B* next *April* or *Jun*. mas *B. Griffin* in *King & Queen*; one cond day of next *Nov*. l acres of LAND in *Albemarle* a the north ſide of the *Rivanna* *Long Iſland* creek. Alſo eight in *Dinwiddie* county, lying *tober's Run*, and one hundred of the ſaid *Run*, and one lot d. Credit will be given till For terms apply to *Tho*er, or *William Griffin*, in om will attend on the ſein *Williamſburg*.

NOR , *Auguſt* 1, 1772.

AS ntend for *Brit*. of all perſons any dealings with *Logan, G.* ur, and con to have their accounts read ſettle at the n neral Court. The buſineſs wil continued to its extent.

ROBER GILMOUR.

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LAVES,

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AR) RANDOLPH.

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be big. er, next October Eſſex court.

SES lately the pro- erty of Ja iffing, deceaſed; alſo ſeven valu Virginia bor EGROES, a likely FELLO , a fine HOUS WENCH, two BOYS, and GIRLS. The lots and houſes may be viewed at any time between this and the day of ſale, by applying to Mr. *Alexander Smith*. Credit till the firſt day of *May* next, giving bond and ſecurity to

SARAH SCANDRETT,
GRIFFING BOUGHAN,
JAMES CHAMBERLAIN.

THREE POUNDS REWARD.

RUN way on the 8th of *July*, from the ſubſcriber plantation, near *Frederick Zimmerman's* ordinary, in *Culpeper*, an *Engliſh* convict ſervant man named JOHN BOOKER, about 38 years old, 5 feet 6 inches high, narrow viſage, ruddy countenance, a little pitted with the ſmallpox, dark hair not tied, born in Yorkſhire, ſpeaks broad, fond of liquor, and talkative, has been about two years in the country, is a good ditcher, and well acquainted with other country buſineſs; had on, and took with him, two brown coloured coats, one with twiſt, the other with flat metal buttons, a lappelled ſcarlet jacket, his breeches much the ſame with the coats, ſeveral ſhirts, two pair of ſhoes, yarn ſtockings, and brown trowſers; he had with him a box of wafers, and a parchment covered memorandum pocket book, and it is probable he will have ſome kind of a paſs, and change his name. This fellow, with one belonging to Mr. *William Allen of Culpeper*, ran away together laſt *April*, and were advertiſed in this Gazette: *Booker* delivered himſelf to a man in *Albemarle*, who brought him home, but the other made his eſcape; and my fellow has now made another elopement without any kind of provocation. I will give THREE POUNDS to any perſon who delivers him either to Mr. *Edward Stevens* at *Culpeper* courthouſe, the overſeer at my plantation, or to me in *Fredericksburg*, or FORTY SHILLINGS if ſecured in any gaol ſo that I get him again.

JAMES DUNCANSON.

VIRGINIA, ſc.

At a GENERAL COURT held at the CAPITOL *May 7, 1772.*

John Bowdoin, and *Iſaac Smith*, merchants, ſurviving partners of *Littleton Eyre*, deceaſed, plaintiffs, againſt *John Smith*, and *Edward Smith*, and *Matthew Smith*, infants, *Auguſtine Smith*, *Martha Jaquelin*, *Jaquelin Ambler*, *Sarah Smith*, *Thomas Smith*, *Wilſon Miles Cary*, *James Buchanan*, & co. of *London*, merchants, *Edmund Pendleton*, and *Peter Lyons*, ſurviving adminiſtrators, &c. of *John Robinſon*, Eſquire, deceaſed, *Peter Preſley Thornton*, and *Sarah* his wife, and *Mary Ambler*, *Jaquelin Ambler*, *Robert Carter Nicholas*, *Wilſon Miles Cary*, and *John Blair*, executors, &c. of *Edward Ambler*, deceaſed, defendants, } In CHANCERY.

THE defendant *John Smith* is appointed guardian to the defendants *Edward* and *Matthew Smith*, who are infants, to defend them in this ſuit; and, by conſent of parties, this cauſe was this day heard, upon the bill, anſwers, and ſundry exhibits. On conſideration whereof it is decreed and ordered, that *George Purdie*, *John Bowdoin*, *John Lee*, and *John Smith*, Gentlemen, or any two or more of them, after giving convenient notice in the *Virginia* Gazette, ſell, at public auction, the lands in the counties of *Glouceſter* and *Northumberland*, known by the names of the *Dragon Quarter* and *Fleet's Bay*, comprized in the inden tures of mortgage in the bill mentioned, at twelve months credit, to be entered upon the firſt day of *January* next; and alſo the ſlaves, with their encreaſe, and other things in the ſaid mortgages mentioned, at three months credit, taking bonds, with ſufficient ſecurity, from the purchaſers, and return an account thereof to the court, that *Dudley Digges*, *Thomas Nelſon*, junior, and *David Jameſon*, Gentlemen, or any two of them, do ſtate and ſettle the claims of the plaintiffs, and the defendants, and of any other creditors of *John Smith*, deceaſed, in the bill named, who may deſire it, and make report thereof to the court; and that the ſales of the lands, in the counties of *Spotſylvania* and *Culpeper*, made by the ſaid *John Smith* in his lifetime, be confirmed to the ſeveral purchaſers thereof, upon their paying the purchaſe money; and that the ſeveral mortgagees, the defendant *John Smith*, and the defendants *Edward* and *Matthew Smith*, when they ſhall arrive at the age of twenty one years, releaſe to thoſe purchaſers, and the purchaſers of the lands and ſlaves, to be ſold under this decree, all their right and intereſt in the ſaid lands and ſlaves, unleſs the ſaid infants ſhall ſhew cauſe to the contrary within ſix months after they come of age reſpectively.

BEN: WALLER.

THE ſubſcriber, having ſerved a regular apprenticeſhip to the noted Mr. JOSEPH CARNCROSS, of the city of *Dublin*, coachmaker, and for many years paſt carried on the coachmaking trade, in all its different branches, in *Ireland* and in *New York*, where he has had the honour of making a coach, phæton, and chaiſe, for his Excellency the Right Honourable Earl of DUNMORE, is now removed, with his family, from *New York* to *Palace* ſtreet, in *Williamſburg*, *Virginia*, where he propoſes to make and repair all ſorts of coaches, landaus, chariots, poſtchaiſes, phætons, curricles, chaiſes, and chairs, with harneſs of every ſort. Alſo ſteel ſprings, and iron work of every kind, relative to the coachmaking trade. Likewiſe painting, gilding, and japanning. The ſubſcriber being determined to do all his work in the beſt manner, and on the loweſt terms, humbly hopes thoſe Gentlemen that are pleaſed to employ him will pay caſh, at leaſt for any piece of new work, on delivery of the ſame; and will be truly thankful to every Gentleman or Lady who will employ him to repair carriages, even if the repairs do not exceed half a bit. The utmoſt care, and diſpatch of buſineſs, ſhall be the conſtant ſtudy of the public's moſt humble ſervant,

ELKANAH DEANE.

The ſubſcriber having two or three ſpare rooms, would be glad to accommodate Gentlemen with private lodgings.

TO BE SOLD,

ONE thouſand four hundred acres of exceeding good TOBACCO LAND in *Stafford* county, on the branches of *Aquia* and *Potowmack* runs. The land is extremely well timbered and watered, twelve miles from *Falmouth*, and ten from *Aquia*. One half the land rents for thirty pounds a year. There is a ſmall plantation on the other part. The land, if not privately ſold, will be ſet up at one thouſand two hundred pounds on the 10th of *October*, 1772, and a mill near the plantation. Alſo 1100 acres of land on *Rocky Run*, in *Fauquier* county (the rents of this land amount to 4130 pounds of tobacco) either in lots or together, as may ſuit the purchaſers. An indiſputable title will be made to the land by the trustees of

CHARLES CARTER.

To be RENTED, *for a term of years, or otherwiſe*,

THE HOUSES, GARDEN, STABLES, PASTURE, FIRE WOOD, &c. where the ſubſcriber now lives. The place is ſo well known that I need not mention the conveniency as to a public houſe, ſtore, &c. I ſhall therefore only ſay to any perſon inclined to rent the above, that I can alſo rent both men and maid ſervants, and houſhold furniture almoſt ſufficient to enter into buſineſs immediately.

YELVERTON PEYTON.

To be SOLD, *to the higheſt bidder, on* Friday *the* 30*th of* October, *on the premiſes*,

THE noted ORDINARY ſituated in *Dinwiddie* county, about 9 miles from *Peterſburg*, known by the name of BURGES's ORDINARY. It was adverti ſed for ſale about the firſt of *Auguſt*, but finding inconvenient to ſell at that time, did defer it; and as its ſeveral advantages were fully deſcribed then, it will be needleſs to mention, at this time, any thing more than that it contains between four and five hundred acres of land, lies well, is well timbered, and has ſundry improvements thereon. The purchaſer is to pay the purchaſe money at three yearly equal payments, to commence from the 25th of *December* next, at which time the poſſeſſion of the place will be given up. Bond, with approved ſecurity, will be required.

ROBERT JONES, jun.
HAMILTON JONES,
THOMAS ESKRIDGE.

STOLEN, or ſtrayed, from my paſture, on the 6th of *Septe* r, a brown horſe, about 14 hands 3 inches high, and branded on the left ſide RW; he was poor and had a ſore back. Whoever will bring him to me ſhall receive TWENTY SHILLINGS.

PEYTON RANDOLPH.

Purſuant to an act of the laſt ſeſſion of Aſſembly, will be LEASED, *for the term of twenty one years, to the higheſt bidders, on the 20th of* October *next, if fair, otherwiſe next fair day, on the premiſes, to be entered upon immediately*,

ABOUT 3000 ACRES of LAND, the property of the NOTTOWAY INDIANS, and lying in *Southampton*, on the ſouth ſide of *Nottoway* river, the whole of it very good corn land, and the greateſt part will produce good tobacco. It is to be laid off in lots, not exceeding 300 acres each. The rents are to be paid annually, and bonds, with approved ſecurity, for the performance thereof, will be required by

THE TRUSTEES.

At the ſame time and place will be SOLD, all the lands belonging to the ſaid *Indians*, on the north ſide of *Nottoway* river, conſiſting of two parcels containing about thirty acres each.

To LET, *to the loweſt bidder, on* Wedneſday *the* 18*th of* November *next, at* Richmond *county courthouſe*,

THE building of a BRICK PRISON, for the uſe of the ſaid county; at which time and place attendance will be given by the Gentlemen commiſſioners appointed for that purpoſe, and

THE SHERIFF.

On Monday *the* 12*th of* October *next, being* Loudoun *court day, will be expoſed to public ſale*,

SIX hundred and twelve acres of valuable LAND, lying in the ſaid county, within two miles of *Leeſburg*, and half a mile of a bolting mill. The ſubſcriber will be on the land by the 9th of *October*, in order to ſhew it to any perſon inclining to purchaſe.

VINCENT RUST.

COMMITTED to *York* priſon, the 21ſt inſtant, a Negro girl about 5 feet high, ſtout made, and ſays ſhe belongs to Mr. *Joſeph Mountfort*, of *Southampton*; has on a green jacket, and oznabrig petticoat and ſhift. The owner is deſired to apply for her, and pay charges to

WILLIAM MITCHELL.

PETERSBURG, *Jan.* 2, 1772.

FOR SALE,

THE following TRACTS of LAND in *Pittſylvania* county, *viz.* Four hundred acres on *Baniſter* river, 770 acres on *Beaver* creek, 345 acres on *Burch's* creek, 380 acres on *Leatherwood*, 400 acres on *Snow* creek.

Theſe lands were formerly the property of Mr. *Samuel Gordon*, deceaſed. The price, and time of payment, may be known by applying to

JERMAN BAKER.

TO BE LET ON LEASE,

A VERY large and commodious HOUSE in the town of *Peterſburg*, built for a tavern, and well fitted for that buſineſs; it is two ſtories high, has a number of very convenient lodging rooms, and large and ſmall rooms for the entertainment of gueſts. Any perſon qualified for the buſineſs of a tavern keeper, with a proper capital, may find this as advantageous a ſituation as any on the continent. Apply to the ſubſcriber, who lives on the premiſes.

THOMAS EGLETON.

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